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Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 22:11:00 CDT  
From: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: BOATANCHORS digest 3496

BOATANCHORS Digest 3496

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- 16) 8907 packset now showing...  
by "Marty's Refl. Drop" <polepeeg@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>
- 17) the magicians of Monmouth  
by john <johnmb@nc.rr.com>
- 18) "Handwound Transformers.com"

by "Paul Monroe" <pmonroe@charter.net>  
19) Re: Wholesale hogwash  
by "ed sharpe" <esharpe@uswest.net>

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Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 08:03:58 -0700  
From: Richard Pekelney <pekelnay@rspeng.com>  
Subject: Re: Kon Tikki Radio  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Message-id: <p05210606bafd22c66ace@[192.168.25.4]>  
MIME-version: 1.0  
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At least one of Thor Heyerdahl's radios from the expeditions is owned by the Explorer's Club. I thought it was the one from Kon Tikki, but it might be from Ra I, Ra II or Tigress. Thor had a very keen sense of history so I doubt that it just got sold off. It is possible, but I doubt it.

rich

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Subject: Wanted: Hubbell 30A Twist-Lock  
Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 10:52:45 -0400  
From: "Merz Donald S" <merz.ds@mellon.com>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Ok, this request is not BA radio -- but it fits in with BA power levels. =

It's a long shot, but I have a power project here that requires 25 or so =  
pieces of Hubbell L5-30 connectors which is 30A, 3-wire twist-lock. =  
Typical stage power stuff. Used connectors would be fine.=20

If anyone has any such in the junk box or knows of a good, hopefully =  
inexpensive, source I'd like to hear from you.

Thanks.  
--Don Merz

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Message-ID: <20030530151240.90564.qmail@web40808.mail.yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 08:12:40 -0700 (PDT)  
From: "J.D. Mac Aulay, WQ8U" <jmac6235@yahoo.com>  
Subject: Re: Kon-Tiki NC-173 & others  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
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There is a good article entitled "Radio Kon-Tiki" by Jim, W8KGI in the October 1995 issue of ELECTRIC RADIO. It gives interesting perspective but no serial number. It also has a good discussion of the NC-173 and other receivers of that era.

73  
Mac  
WQ8U

Mike Steussy - AE4R <ae4r@erols.com> wrote:  
Ahoy! I remember there was a string several years ago about the Lost National NC-173 receiver, but I didn't save the messages as I wasn't really interested in ever owning same. (I have an NC-183D.) I dimly recall someone writing the Kon Tiki radio disappeared in a military supply depot, or some such place. About the same time (give or take a year or so) of this string, a really sad looking specimen was offered for sale at EEB, the ham radio emporium here in Vienna that went out of business a few years back. It had some ugly mods, looked beat up, and was known to have a shorted power transformer. Couldn't get more pathetic than that. For months it sat forlornly in the store. Almost no one gave it a second glance after seeing the \$75 price.

Out of the goodness in his heart, my buddy Hap ended buying it when EEB went under. All in good fun, I commended him for saving THE Kon-Tiki radio. After all, this one looked like it might have made that voyage (and maybe several others). Since then, what started out as just kidding around has become speculation that Hap's radio might in fact be the One. Hap himself hasn't spoken on the matter, but must be wondering. If any reader saved that string, would he/she please forward it to me? I'll pass it on to Hap and other local hams interested in this story. If anyone knows the real fate of that radio or advice on what to check (serial number, etc.) in case this one MIGHT actually be it, please advise.

On the subject of NC-173s, my friend Jim, who attended the Dayton Hamvention, wrote in an e-mail that he "saw one bad repaint (non stock National color) and several small dents which was selling for \$350! He would not budge and said he will have it sold by Sunday. There was

another that looked like it had been dropped from the highest floor of the Empire State Building that had a price tag of \$285."

73, Mike Steussy AE4R  
Vienna Virginia USA

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Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 11:45:48 -0400  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
From: Kim Herron <kherron@voyager.net>  
Subject: Re: Wholesale hogwash  
Mime-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

Hi Gang!  
>I would prefer to use a more profane title for this submission but in the  
>interest of ordinary decency I will restrain myself as best as possible. I  
>present for your consideration a so-called "white paper" that I deigned to  
>read at the risk of losing my dinner. So you are forwarned.  
>  
>[http://www.curcioaudio.com/Audibility\\_of\\_PwrSupply.htm](http://www.curcioaudio.com/Audibility_of_PwrSupply.htm)

Somebody let this guy out of the nut house. BTW, can somebody  
explain how  
I can deliver more current that the circuit can use?? Or have I forgotten  
how  
Ohm's law works? I guess that Judy Collins said it best: "Send in the  
clowns---

Don't bother, they're here!!!".

Thanks!!

Kim Herron  
1-616-677-3706

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From: "Grant Youngman" <nq5t@attbi.com>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 10:26:01 -0500  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Subject: Re: Wholesale hogwash  
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Seen this one before. The purveyor of fine snake oil is a permanent fixture in most cultures. And I'll bet the audiophiles are gobbling this stuff up. ...

These guys (URL below) are offering a coating "service" for their product -- it's always interesting to see the lengths someone will go to to make a buck ... uh, make that 40 bucks.

<http://www.boldercables.com/Store.asp?m=TheBolderCableCompany&n=10&k=113402&s=ART+DI%2F0+MODS+%26+Accessories>

Somehow they get FOUR POUNDS of this stuff in a little bitty device ... and it takes as much as 20 whole days to "cure".

Oh, if you order this treatment with the "Mensa" mod (I'm afraid to see what that is), they won't charge you any shipping. Last I heard the average IQ score in the US was below "100", which means on average, we're below average. Maybe there's some correlation ..

Gotta love this stuff :-)

Grant/NQ5T

> If you thought that article was ridiculous, check this out  
>  
> <http://www.altmann.haan.de/tubeolator/default.htm>  
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> Maybe that could have saved the transistor and IC business at Motorola  
> Semiconductor

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> Dave N7RK  
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> \*\*\*\*\*  
> Dave N7RK <http://members.cox.net/n7rk>  
> Phoenix, Arizona \*DXCC Honor Roll\* \*WAZ#23 - 75 Meter SSB\*  
>  
> ex-XE2/N7RK, N7RK/ZB2, VK2ERK, ZM0AJN, WB6NRK, WN6IWX  
>  
> Boatanchor and Antique Radio Collector Extraordinaire preferring  
> Hallicrafters, National and what ever else looks interesting!  
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Message-Id: <3.0.5.32.20030530102821.00862100@pop3.dccnet.com>  
Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 10:28:21 -0700  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
From: Ralph Parker <rparker@dccnet.com>  
Subject: More hogwash  
Mime-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

Thanks to Arden for drawing our attention to the importance of power supplies, but perhaps he missed a reference of even greater significance in the first paragraph. And I quote - "The final sonic signature is the summation, and more importantly, the interaction of many ingredients including the choice of tubes (leading to the very popular practice of itube rollingî),..."

Now, I thought that I was a man of the world, but what the heck is "tube rolling", and should I be doing it to my tubes? Does it work at RF as well as at audio? I just acquired a Heath Mohawk in fairly nice condx. How can I tell if it's tubes have already been rolled? Would it hurt to roll them again? How far? I must admit that I have had a few tubes rolled (off the workbench) over the years with disasterous results. Have things changed recently? Should I roll my transistors too?

Yours in total confusion,  
VE7XF

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From: "Bill Hawkins" <bill@iaxs.net>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: RE: Wholesale hogwash  
Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 13:12:52 -0500  
Message-ID: <001f01c326d7\$15aeb0a0\$290aa8c0@darius>

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Grant/NQ5T wrote:

"Oh, if you order this treatment with the "Mensa" mod (I'm afraid to see what that is), they won't charge you any shipping. Last I heard the average IQ score in the US was below "100", which means on average, we're below average. Maybe there's some correlation .."

In my experience, the ability to be persuaded by words is not a function of IQ at all. Some very smart people believe some very wrong things. I think there are just two kinds of people (-) those who base their beliefs on facts that have been proven by repeated experiments, and those whose beliefs are created inside of their brains with the aid of words that they choose to hear.

In some companies, this is the difference between Engineering and Marketing.

In some governments, there are those concerned about predictable limits to growth, and those who believe there are no limits (at least within their time scale). None of these people are stupid.

Now, you may call people who ignore facts "stupid", but that idea is no longer in fashion. Too many smart people believe in money because they choose not to study real history. The believers will follow their leaders. When the leaders are following money then the result is always disaster. As Louis 14th said, "After me, the deluge." The people barricaded the streets and heads rolled.

OBBA (obligatory boatanchor content): The open market for vacuum tube test equipment has dried up. I need to make some room, and I have collected some interesting things from HP, Tek, GR and others. Is there anyone on this list who would want such equipment for what it is, rather than as a source of knobs - or anchors?

Regards,  
Bill Hawkins

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Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 14:42:05 -0400  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
From: Kim Herron <kherron@voyager.net>  
Subject: Re: Wholesale hogwash

Mime-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

>Hi Guys,

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> > Maybe that could have saved the transistor and IC business at Motorola

> >

I read this article and I came to the conclusion that the guy is very deaf

and he actually coated his hearing aid chips with this stuff and now his freq range

changed to suit him. And I thought the only source of really high quality fertilizer was at the local farmers elevator. Boy was I wrong!!

Maybe we could rename his website "Honey Wagon Dot Com??

Thanks!!

Kim Herron

1-616-677-3706

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Message-ID: <007f01c326e7\$5d939600\$10e57443@KB6NAX>

From: "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Subject: Re: More hogwash

Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 12:57:50 -0700

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I think he was referring to rolling his own while listening to his most profoundly powered amplifier. If you get my drift....

Arden

----- Original Message -----

From: "Ralph Parker" <rparker@dccnet.com>

To: "Old Tube Radios" <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Sent: Friday, May 30, 2003 10:28 AM

Subject: More hogwash

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From: WA5CAB@cs.com  
Message-ID: <5b.39a0d6ad.2c091a3d@cs.com>  
Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 16:34:05 EDT  
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From: Bob Kemp <bkemp@bobkemp.com>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Galaxy Net/users group  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; format=flowed  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Is there a Galaxy mailing list I can subscribe to anywhere?  
Bob.

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From: "JAMES T HANLON" <knjhanlon@msn.com>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Cc: "boatanchors" <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
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Rich,

There was a modification to the loading capacitors on the DX100 suggested by Lloyd Jones, W6DOB in CQ, October 1956, pages 34 and 35. Lloyd had the original fixed capacitor array, and he could not properly load a 50 ohm line on 20, 15 and 10 meters. He also said that "the small mica condenser and associated wiring ran extremely hot. This probably was caused by the condenser and associated wiring being near self resonance at these high frequencies." His fix as near as I can read it on my copy is described as follows.

"I removed the 400-600-800 uufd mica, the 200 uufd mica condensers and the original 250 uufd variable condenser from the pi-output circuits. A new three gang broadcast-type condenser replaced the original 250 uufd variable. The three sections were connected together in parallel to give a t=

total of 1200 uufd and a minimum of about 35 uufd. It was easy to mount this condenser to the rear plate of the chassis using 3/8" collars and three 6-32 1/2" bolts. The shaft of the 3 gang condenser was coupled to the "fine coupling" shaft with a standard flexible insulated coupler. The coarse adjustment and its associated switch are left in place and are not used. The wire from C2 on the band change switch was run directly to the output coax connector. A short wire about 1 1/2" long tapped off the output lead to the new 3 gang condenser. Now it is possible to load the antennas on any band all fed with RG/8U or RG/11U through a Johnson low-pass filter with perfect control, and even after several hours of use, the condenser and antenna feed wire are cool. With the gain control full on and talking loud, there is no tendency for arcing between the plates. I have the original tank coil in the DX-100 and it does not over-heat. It is normally loaded to 250 ma at 800 volts: 200 watts input. =20

"Before this modification I had severe TVI in my own TV receiver on Channel 3. Now there is only a slight amount of cross-hatch lines barely visible at normal viewing distances."

Concerning this mod, Chuck Penson writes in his book, Heathkit, a Guide to the Amateur Radio Products, "The (DX)100 uses a combination of stepped loading (for coarse adjustment) and variable capacitor loading (for fine tuning). This scheme was replaced in the (DX)100B with a larger gear-driven variable cap less prone to arcing; a modification kit was offered for DX-100 owners." My own DX-100 has this mod, installed by a former owner, and it works well as described. So you might want to replace the loading cap in your DX-100 with a three gang Broadcast variable if you can find one rather than to go back to the original, postage stamp micas. =20

Jones also describes a technique for Neutralizing his DX100 final amplifier. You might be interested in that also if you have the trouble that he describes. (He does say that not all DX-100's need to be neutralized.) =  
"My DX-100 would not tune up easily on the 10 or 15 meter bands. When the final plate tuning was out of resonance by a slight amount, it would cause the grid drive to drop to less than 1 ma or go to a high value of about 8 ma. With the knob turned to cw and the grid current adjusted for about 4 ma, then tuning the "Amplifier Tuning" through resonance would cause a severe change in grid current." =20

He added neutralization as follows. "To make my modifications, I slid the transmitter chassis out of the cabinet. Facing the transmitter front panel, I noted that the 5763 plate tuning condenser right hand lug of the stator has a lead going to the tapped vertical coil and another lead going down through a rubber grommet, through a condenser, to the plate pin of the 5763. The left-hand lug of this condenser is unused. (See pictorial 9, page 46, of DX-100 instruction manual.) By looking at the plate tuning condenser for the 5763, it will be observed that the job should be simple. I drilled a hole about 1/4" in diameter through the baffle plate in-

line with this lug, then soldered a piece of #14 bare wire about 4" long= to this left hand lug. The wire was arranged so that it will not touch = the sides of the hole, and will extend in the direction of the large RFC,= feeding the 6146's. The wire was cut so that it will not reach the larg= e lower pi of the RFC, to avoid a short in the high voltage. In my case,= complete neutralizing was accomplished when the wire pointed toward the = RFC. Bending the wire closer to or farther away from the 6146 caused def= inite unbalance. It required only a few minutes to find a place where ne= utralization was excellent, as indicated by tuning the final through reso= nance and observing that the grid current did not change at all. Then I = applied power to the final and tuned up. (I take it to mean that he did = the neutralizing adjustment with the final B+ switched off.) Now the gri= d current remains steady when the final is tuned from one side of resonan= ce to the other! Only a fraction of a milliampere change - what a pleasu= re." =20

Hope this helps. A DX-100 is a fine rig and well worth the time to bring= it back to life.

73,

Jim Hanlon, W8KGI

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From: WA5CAB@cs.com

Message-ID: <41.2f3d54f5.2c0939fd@cs.com>

Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 18:49:33 EDT

Subject: MAW-1 Parts Unit (CKB-43069-A)

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

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Groups,

I have a CKB-43069-A parts unit here if anyone needs knobs, covers, etc. No case, antenna or power supply.

Robert Downs  
Houston  
<wa5cab@cs.com>

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From: WA5CAB@cs.com  
Message-ID: <196.1b12e713.2c093e63@cs.com>  
Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 19:08:19 EDT  
Subject: Re: Question For The Experts--BC-1421  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
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Group,

BC-1421 may be the highest BC- number. I have seen nothing higher.

VHF Receiver BC-1421 is part of RC-256-C which was paired with RC-257-C (BC-640-D and antenna). Other components of RC-256-C are Frequency Meter BC-1420 (modified BC-638) and Rectifier RA-147 (modified RA-42) plus accessories. It does not have a built-in AC supply, power being supplied by RA-147. Circa 1949. VHF aircraft ground station.

73

Robert Downs

Houston

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From: W7QH0@aol.com

Message-ID: <1ad.14f78080.2c093ec1@aol.com>

Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 19:09:53 EDT

Subject: Re: Wholesale hogwash

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

MIME-Version: 1.0

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

In a message dated 5/30/03 11:13:56 AM, bill@iaxs.net writes:

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> In my experience, the ability to be persuaded by words is not a
> function of IQ at all. Some very smart people believe some very
> wrong things. I think there are just two kinds of people (-:-)
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> those who base their beliefs on facts that have been proven by  
> repeated experiments, and those whose beliefs are created inside  
> of their brains with the aid of words that they choose to hear.  
>

As Will Rogers put it:

"There are three kinds of men: The ones who learn by reading. The few who learn by observation. The rest of them have to pee on the electric fence.

Dennis D. W7QHO  
Glendale, CA

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\* ---REMAINDER OF MESSAGE TRUNCATED--- \*  
\* This post contains a forbidden message format \*  
\* (such as an attached file, a v-card, HTML formatting) \*  
\* Mail Lists at theporch.com only accept PLAIN TEXT \*  
\* If your postings display this message your mail program \*  
\* is not set to send PLAIN TEXT ONLY and needs adjusting \*  
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Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 19:15:38 -0400 (EDT)  
From: "Marty's Refl. Drop" <polepeeg@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>  
Message-Id: <200305302315.TAA01636@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: 8907 packset now showing...

...on a browser near you.

Not sure these pic.s are worth 1000 words ea., but y'all judge

<http://qsl.asti.net/8907/8907-1.JPG>  
<http://qsl.asti.net/8907/8907-2.JPG>  
<http://qsl.asti.net/8907/8907-3.JPG>

And one more thing. The rig inventory-badged P20 reads:

Atlanta Region  
A & TT Co.

I'm guessing typo on AT&T

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Message-Id: <3.0.3.32.20030530203615.02a214c8@pop-server.nc.rr.com>  
Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 20:36:15 -0400  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
From: john <johnmb@nc.rr.com>  
Subject: the magicians of Monmouth  
Mime-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

Came across this very interesting link. Has anyone ever read this book?  
Might have to give the interlibrary loan a try once again...

This looks like a great read!

<http://www.infoage.org/zahltop.html#Dr.%20Harold%20A.>

73  
John K5MO

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Message-ID: <004c01c32711\$fede1380\$20f29f18@mad.chartermi.net>  
From: "Paul Monroe" <pmonroe@charter.net>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: "Handwound Transformers.com"  
Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 20:14:33 -0500  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain;  
charset="iso-8859-1"  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Group,

Does any one in the group have any experience, either good or bad, with  
"Handwound Transformers.com", link below:

[www.handwoundtransformers.com](http://www.handwoundtransformers.com)

I ordered (and paid for) their PT9 transformer on Feb. 14, 2003. On April  
21, I was assured that the transformer would be delivered in a week. I have  
not yet received the transformer. I need to know if this guy is legitimate  
or not.

Please reply directly to me so as to keep the list bandwidth down.

73,



Paul, W9MEH

pmonroe@charter.net

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Date: Fri, 30 May 2003 20:10:38 -0700  
Message-ID: <00e601c32722\$369d36b0\$0100a8c0@SONYDIGITALED>  
From: "ed sharpe" <esharpe@uswest.net>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Re: Wholesale hogwash  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: text/plain;  
        charset="iso-8859-1"  
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

wow..... pure babble eh

----- Original Message -----

From: "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>  
To: "Old Tube Radios" <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Sent: Friday, May 30, 2003 12:58 AM  
Subject: Wholesale hogwash

> I would prefer to use a more profane title for this submission but in the  
> interest of ordinary decency I will restrain myself as best as possible.  
I  
> present for your consideration a so-called "white paper" that I deigned to  
> read at the risk of losing my dinner. So you are forewarned.  
>  
> [http://www.curcioaudio.com/Audibility\\_of\\_PwrSupply.htm](http://www.curcioaudio.com/Audibility_of_PwrSupply.htm)  
>  
> Hint: Have you boned up on the purpose of capacitors in electronics  
lately?  
>  
> Enjoy.....  
>  
> Arden Allen  
> KB6NAX  
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> Vallejo, CA 94590  
> gumbear@pacbell.net  
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